

District 6 Fact Sheet

Serving Fresno, Kern, Kings, Madera and Tulare Counties

State Route 180 180 West Segment Two

Fresno County

Project Purpose:

The project on State Route 180 will provide an improved primary east-west route between the City of Fresno and rural communities to the west of Fresno. The project will reduce traffic congestion on city streets and county roads, improve travel time and increase safety for motorists.

Transportation Benefit

This project will add a needed improvement to the east-west connection in Fresno County that will enhance the farm to market shipping opportunities for the region. This connection is vital to the economic development of Western Fresno County and the communities of Kerman, Mendota and Firebaugh.

It is expected to improve continuity, the movement of goods and services, the mobility for east-west travelers, traffic congestion on local roads and improve motorist safety.

Description:

The project will continue State Route 180 as a six-lane freeway west from the Hughes-West Diagonal to Marks Avenue, then as a four-lane freeway to Brawley Avenue. A traffic overcrossing bridge will be constructed at the Hughes-West Diagonal.

Access to the freeway will be provided with an interchange at Marks Avenue. There will be a signalized intersection at Brawley Avenue and cul-de-sacs at Whites Bridge Road, Valentine Avenue and Hughes Avenue.

Construction Anticipated to Begin: 2006

Construction Anticipated to End: 2008

Funding:

Local Fresno County "Measure C" sales tax.

Construction Cost:

\$37 million

Project Map on Reverse

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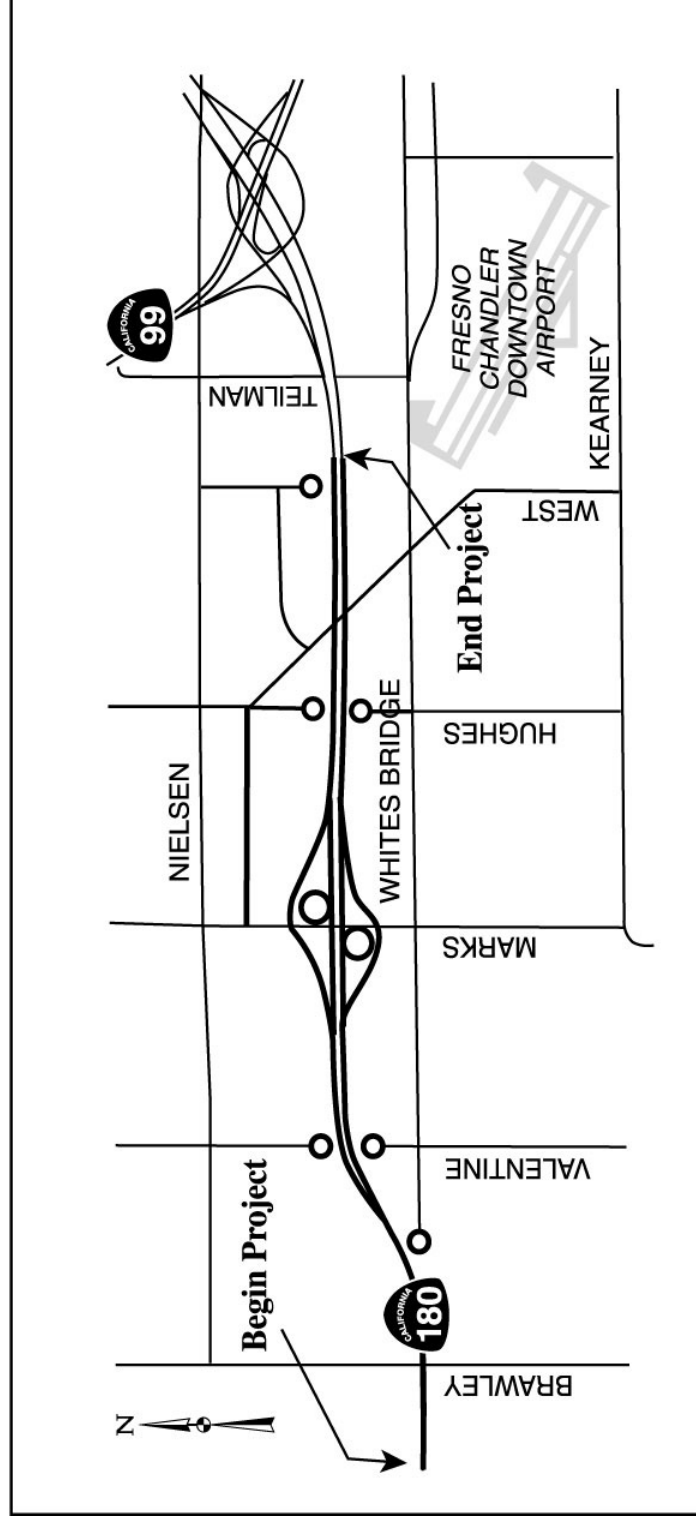
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Project Location Map

